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**Pending Claims**

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1. (previously amended) An animal feeder comprising:
- a feed hopper having a filling end and a feeding end, wherein the filling end has a cover having an access door with a hinged lid for opening and closing off the opening of the access door, the hinged lid having at least one recess to enable the hinged lid to be breathable,
- at least three legs, the proximate ends of the legs permanently attached to the feed hopper; and
- a skid assembly permanently attached to the distal ends of the legs.
2. (cancelled)
3. (original) The animal feeder of claim 1, wherein the feeding end of the feed hopper has a protective cage.
4. (original) The animal feeder of claim 1, further comprising a ladder for accessing the filling end of the feed hopper.
5. (original) The animal feeder of claim 4, further comprising a platform for accessing the filling end of the feed hopper.
6. (original) The animal feeder of claim 1, wherein the feed hopper is fabricated from plate steel.
7. (original) The animal feeder of claim 1 wherein skid assembly is releasable attached to a vehicle.
8. (original) The animal feeder of claim 1 wherein feed is distributed by gravity from the feeding end of the feed hopper.
9. (cancelled)

10. (cancelled)

11. (cancelled)

12. (cancelled)

13. (cancelled)

14. (original) A one-piece wildlife feeder comprising: a feed hopper having a filling end and a feeding end; four legs, the proximate ends each leg permanently attached to the feed hopper; and a skid assembly permanently attached to the distal ends of the four legs.

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15. (original) The feeder of claim 14, further comprising a cover permanently attached to the filling end of the feed hopper, the cover having an access door and the access door having a breathable lid.

16. (original) The feeder of claim 14, further comprising a protective cage permanently attached to the feeding end of the feed hopper.

17. (original) The feeder of claim 14, further comprising a ladder permanently attached to the feeder, the ladder for accessing the filling end of the feed hopper.

18. (original) The feeder of claim 17, further comprising a platform permanently attached to the feeder, the platform for accessing the filling end of the feed hopper.

19. (original) The feeder of claim 14, wherein the feed hopper is fabricated from plate steel.

20. (original) The feeder of claim 14 wherein skid assembly is releasable attachable to a vehicle.

21. (original) The feeder of claim 14 wherein feed is distributed by gravity from the feeding end of the feed hopper.

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22. (previously added) An animal feeder comprising:  
a feed hopper having a filling end and a feeding end, wherein the filling end has a cover having an access door with a breathable lid for opening and closing off the opening of the access door,  
at least three legs, the proximate ends of the legs permanently attached to the feed hopper, and  
a skid assembly permanently attached to the distal ends of the legs.

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